



The West Indian Manatee in Florida

The manatee, *Trichechus manatus*, is a grayish-brown, walrus-like animal weighing on average between 800-1200 pounds and growing approximately 12.7 feet in length. They are mammals, hence they breathe air, have body hair and nurse their young. Manatees have a round,



flattened tail, and 2 front flippers. These flippers are used in steering while swimming, as well as for holding their food. While underwater, flaps close over their nostrils, to prevent water from interfering with breathing. The newborn calves range from 3 to 5 feet long, and beginning only several weeks after birth, they start eating plants such as seagrasses and algae.

Manatees are completely harmless and nonaggressive and are often shy and reclusive. There are approximately 2,247 manatees remaining in the southeastern U.S. and they are concentrated in Florida year-round.

During cold weather, manatees are attracted to the warm-water discharges of five FPL plants. Approximately 1200 animals have been counted with serial surveys at these facilities.

Range

The waters throughout the Caribbean, Central America, Colombia, Venezuela, and the northern coast of Brazil, as well as peninsular Florida, are home to the West Indian Manatee. Two subspecies of the West Indian Manatee exist today. One is found only in Florida and the other is located throughout the northern region of the Caribbean, and the coastal waters of North and South America. In the winter months, cold weather shortens their northernmost range to Florida, while in the summer time, some swim as far north as Virginia and as far west as Texas. In a few cases, manatees have been observed to cover over 520 miles, each way, during their migrations. One manatee was known to swim 143 miles in only four days!

Mortality

Manatee deaths throughout Florida have become an issue of serious concern. The primary causes of death are collisions with boats, cold weather, and red tides as well as entanglement in

fishing line, loss of habitat, and chemical pollution. These ancient creatures need our help in order to survive into the next century and beyond.

Attention: Swimmers, Boaters, Divers Guidelines for Protecting Manatees

Manatee Do's and Don'ts

The West Indian Manatee is an endangered species and is protected by state and federal law. Please avoid harassing or disturbing manatees. Harassment is defined as any activity which alters the animal's natural behavior. By altering the manatee's natural behavior, you may create the likelihood of danger that is bad for the animal, and against the law.

1. BEING NEAR MANATEES

- Look, but don't touch manatees. Also, don't feed manatees or give them water. If manatees become accustomed to being around people, they can alter their behavior in the wild, perhaps causing them to lose their natural fear of boats and humans, and this may make them more susceptible to harm. Passive observation is the best way to interact with manatees and all wildlife.
- Do not pursue or chase a manatee while you are swimming, snorkeling, diving, or operating a boat.
- Never poke, prod, or stab a manatee with your hands, feet, or any object.
- If a manatee avoids you, you should avoid it.
- Don't isolate or single out an individual manatee from its group, and don't separate a cow from her calf.
- Don't attempt to snag, hook, grab, hold, pinch, or ride a manatee.
- Avoid excessive noise and splashing if a manatee appears in you swimming area.
- Use snorkel gear when attempting to watch manatees. The sound of bubbles from scuba gear may cause manatees to leave the area.
- When snorkeling don't wear a weight belt. Float at the surface of the water and passively observe the manatee. Look but don't touch.

2. DON'T ENTER AREAS DESIGNATED AS "NO ENTRY - MANATEE REFUGE"

These areas have been identified by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services as crucial for manatee survival.

3. WHEN BOATING OR JET SKIING

- Abide by the posted speed zone signs while in areas known to have manatees present or when observations indicate manatees might be present. Observations may include a swirl at the surface caused by the manatee while diving; seeing the animal's back, snout, tail, or flipper break the surface of the water; or hearing it when it surfaces to breathe.
- Wear polarized sunglasses to reduce glare on the surface of the water. This will enable you to see manatees more easily.
- Try to stay in deep water channels. Manatees can be found in shallow, slow moving rivers, estuaries, lagoons, and coastal areas. Avoid boating over seagrass beds and shallow areas.

- Remain at least 50 feet away from a manatee when operating a powerboat. Don't operate a boat over large concentrations of manatees.
- If you like to water ski, please choose areas that manatees do not use, or cannot enter, such as land locked lakes.
- Please don't discard monofilament line, hooks, or any other litter into the water.

 Manatees may ingest or become entangled in the debris and become injured or even die.

 Note: discarding monofilament fishing line into the waters of Florida is unlawful.

REMEMBER:

LOOK BUT DON'T TOUCH. INTERACTIONS WITH HUMANS MAY BE HAZARDOUS TO THE MANATEE'S WELL BEING.

Observe the Signs

Idle Speed Zone -- a zone in which boats are not permitted to go any faster than necessary to be steered.

Slow Speed Zone -- a minimum wake zone where boats must not be on a plane and must be level in the water.

Caution Area -- an area frequently inhabited by manatees, requiring caution on the part of boaters to avoid disturbing or injuring the animals.

Resume Normal Safe Operation -- a sign indicating that you may resume safe boating speed; visible as you leave a protected area

No Entry Zone -- a protected zone that prohibits boating, swimming, and diving for the protection of manatees.

How You Can Help

- 1. Obey all boating signs and always keep alert for marine life while on the water.
- 2. Don't feed, touch, or harass the manatees.
- 3. Don't discard monofilament line, hooks, or any other litter into the water.
- 4. You can make a donation to the Florida Department of Environmental Protection to help protect the manatee when you register your boat.
- 5. You can also buy a Save the Manatee license plate for your car at your Florida local tag office.

Protection by Law

The manatee is protected under federal law by the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 and the Endangered Species Act of 1973, which make it illegal to harass, hunt, capture or kill any marine mammal. The manatee is also protected by the Florida Manatee Sanctuary Act of 1978, which states: "It is unlawful for any person, at any time, intentionally or negligently, to annoy, molest, harass, or disturb any manatee."

Anyone convicted of violating this state law faces a possible maximum fine of \$500 and/or

imprisonment for up to 60 days. Conviction on the federal level is punishable by a fine of up to \$50,000 and/or one year in prison. The State of Florida can pursue prosecution under federal law in circumstances of extreme harassment, resulting in the death or injury of a manatee.

This document is the cooperative effort of the following groups. They may be contacted for additional information:

Save the Manatee Club

500 N. Maitland Avenue Maitland, Florida 32751 (407) 539-0990 (800) 432-JOIN

Florida Power & Light Company

Environmental Services Department P.O. Box 14000 Juno Beach, Florida 33408 (800) 552-8440

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

6620 Southpoint Drive, South Suite 310 Jacksonville, Florida 32216-0912 (904) 232-2580

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

Bureau of Protected Species Management 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., MS 245 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000 (904) 922-4330

Call 1-800-DIAL-FMP (1-800-342-5367) to report manatee injuries, deaths, tag sightings or harassment.

Visit the Manatee Observation Center at FPL's Riveria Power Plant

Click here for indepth information regarding the West Indian Manatee in Florida. Suitable for research at high school and college levels. Includes extensive bibliography.

Manatee Fact Sheet

Name:

West Indian manatee

Kingdom: Phylum:

Animalia Chordata

Class:

Mammalia

Order. Family:

Sirenia

Genus:

Trichechidae Trichechus

Species:

manatus

Description:

Large, seal-like body that tapers to a spatulate tail. Two forelimbs with three or four nails

on each. Skin thick and wrinkled with stiff whiskers on upper lip.

Color:

Gray or gray-brown.

Size:

Can grow to 13 feet and weigh over 3,000 pounds.

Behavior:

Gentle and slow moving. Most of their time is spent eating, resting, and in travel. Often shy

and reclusive. No system of defense and completely harmless.

Sight:

Depth perception may be limited. Can differentiate colors.

Hearing: Communication: Can hear very well despite the absence of external ear lobes.

Emit sounds that are within human auditory range. They make sounds such as squeaks and squeals when frightened, playing, or communicating, particularly between cow and calf.

Breathing: Nostrils on upper surface of snout which close tightly like valves when submerged. Surfaces

to breathe every few minutes depending on amount of activity.

Habitat:

They can be found in shallow, slow-moving rivers, estuaries, saltwater bays, canals, and coastal

areas, particularly where seagrass beds flourish.

Range:

Within the United States, they are concentrated in Florida during the winter, but can be found in summer months as far west as Louisiana and as far north as Virginia and the Carolinas. The West Indian manatee can also be found in the coastal and inland waterways of Central and South America as far south as Recife, Brazil.

Food Source:

Aquatic plants. Manatees are completely herbivorous and can eat 10-15% of their body weight

daily.

History:

Manatees are believed to have evolved from a wading, plant-eating animal, and share a common ancestor with the elephant.

Related Species:

West African manatee, Amazonian manatee, dugong, Steller's sea cow (extinct). There are approximately 1,200 West Indian manatees left in the United States.

Population: Reproduction:

Females are probably not reproductively mature until 5 to 9 years old and males not until 6 to 9 years. It is believed that one calf is born every 2 to 5 years. Twins are rare in the wild.

Gestation period is around 13 months.

Problems:

Human related: Boat/barge collisions, loss of habitat, crushing or drowning in flood gates, poaching, ingestion of fish hooks and monofilament line, entanglement in crab trap lines, pollution.

Natural: Cold related, "red tide."

Conservation:

Public acquisition and/or creation of sanctuaries in critical areas; research covering biology, mortality, behavior, habitat, and population; implementation of management plans; establishment of regulatory speed zones and the levying of fines for excess speeds in these designated areas; posting of regulatory speed signs in habitat areas; a MANATEE HOTLINE (1-800-DIAL-FMP) for reports of dead or injured animals or manatee harassment; manatee education and public awareness programs.

Legal Protection:

Florida Manatee Sanctuary Act, 1978 U.S. Marine Mammal Act, 1972 U.S. Endangered Species Act, 1973

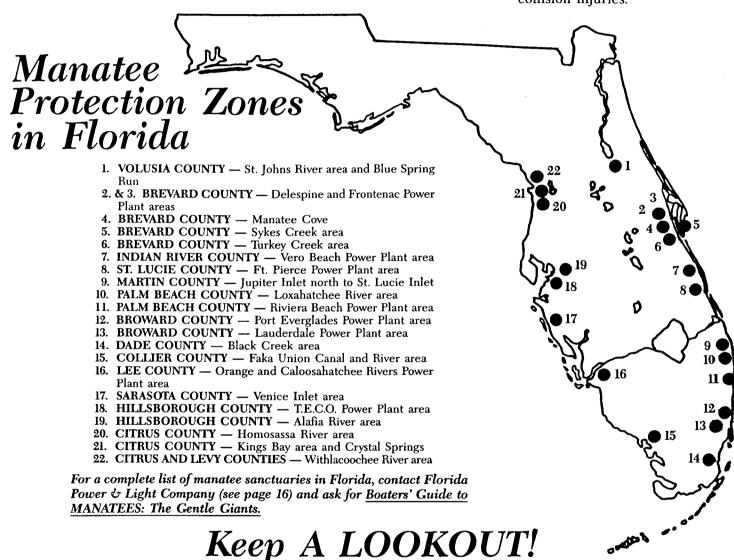
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It's the Law...

Manatees are protected by state and federal laws. The Endangered Species Act of 1973 is perhaps the most important wildlife law that assists in the protection of manatees and other endangered and threatened species. Under the Act, it is illegal to "kill, hunt, collect, harass, harm, pursue, shoot, trap, wound, or capture" a member of an endangered species. Protection of critical habitat is also provided. Violators can be sentenced to up to one year in prison and/or be fined up to \$20,000 for a criminal offense under this act.

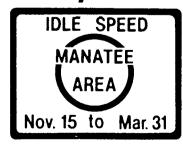
The Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 also provides federal protection for manatees and othermarine mammals, including restrictions on products derived from these animals.

The Florida Manatee Sanctuary Act of 1978 established all of Florida as a manatee sanctuary. Under this act, slow and idle speed zones may be established in Florida waterways to protect these animals from boat collision injuries.





This sign is posted on the fringe of protected areas. You will see it as you approach the areas.



This sign appears in the center of protected areas.



This sign appears in the Crystal River Sanctuary and Blue Spring Sanctuary. It means no swimming, boating, or diving.



This sign appears on the fringe of protected areas. You will see it as you leave the areas.

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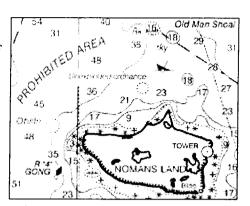
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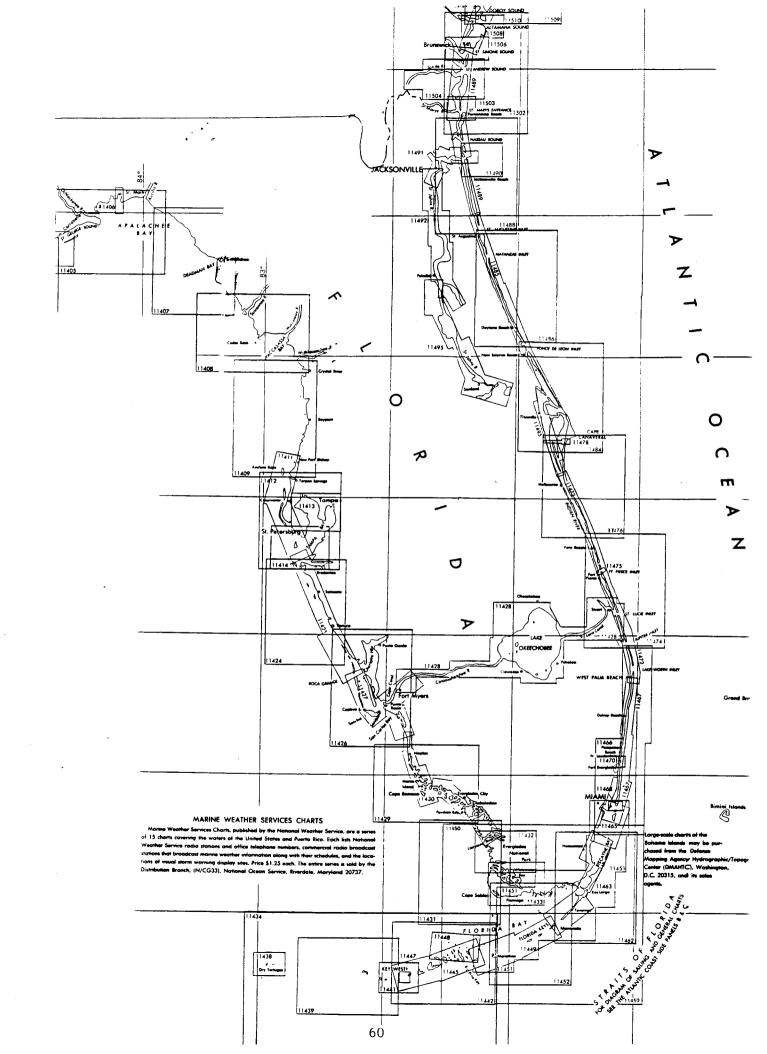
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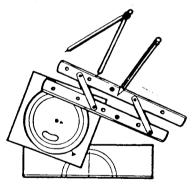
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To keep your charts up to date, you can receive free the Local Notice to Mariners for your boating area. The Notice is issued weekly by each of the ten US Coast Guard Districts. It is intended for small craft owners using the intracoastal waterways, other waterways and small harbors, to keep charts and related publications up to date. It often includes temporary changes to published data that are of short duration, and which are not included in the Defense Mapping Agency Notice to Mariners. The information contained in Local Notice to Mariners includes data compiled by the National Ocean Service (NOS) and the Coast Guard which affects boating safety.

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- * You need Netscape Navigator version 3 or later (free download), Microsoft Internet Explorer version 3 or later (free download) or an equivalent browser to view the agents' listings.

You may also order NOS and NIMA aeronautical and nautical products and catalogs directly from the NOAA Distribution Division by mail, in person, by telephone, FAX, and e-mail:

Mail	NOAA Distribution Division, N/ACC3 National Ocean Service Riverdale, MD 20737-1199
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